AZTEC CLUB NAMES PORTERFIELD HEAD Degree of "Knight of Rose Croix"

Only Two Veterans of Capture of Mexico City Attend Banquet Here.

Two veterans who sat at a dinner table in Mexico City sixty-eight years ago and assisted in the organization of the Astec Ciub today begin the sigty-ninth year of the organization of the head of its list of officers. These confered at Silo viclock this table is the head of its list of officers. These confered to the conferred to the conference of the evening. Tomorrow afternoon and evening the thirty-first and thirty-second degrees of the conferred by the Abert Pike consistory, of this city.

The dedication class is so called because it is to assist in the dedication of the new Scottish Rite Temple, at Sixtenth and a streets northwest, next Monday, following the blennial session of the Supreme Council in this city Monday morning. The class includes sevenity candidates from Washington and thirty from Alexandris.

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Army and Navy Club last evening, the members sitting about the banquet table during their deliberations and table during their deliberations and partaking of dinner, in just the same way the organization of the club was way the organization of the club was perfected in Mexico City immediately after its capture by the American troops under Gen. Winfield Scott in 1847. In addition to the veterans chosen president and vice president respectively, the club elected William Stone Abert, of this city, secretary, and the Rev. William Tayloe Snyder, treasurer.

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The two aged officers chosen to head the organization during the next year were both present at the formation of the club and are two of the seven surviving officers who served with the American forces in Mexico. The membership of the club is limited to men who actually served as officers in the army in Mexico and their descendants. There are only about 200 members in the club. Among those present last evening were Admiral Charles J. Badger, U. S. N., retired; Col. Charles L. McCawley, U. S. M. C.; J. Kennedy Steut, Edmund M. Bell, of Philadelphia; Edward Farragut Looker, Guy King, of Philadelphia; Frank P. Abercrombie, vice president of the Pennsylvania railroad; Col. Henry P. Kingsbury, U. S. A., retired, and William M. Sveeny, former secretary of the club.

Montenegro Consul Loyal to the Allies

Toast to Rulers on Opening the Consulate in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14 .- "Let us drink friends to the good health of my noble sovereign, the King of Montenegro; to their majesties, the Czar of Russia. the King of Serbia, the King of England, the King of Italy, and the President of France; to the death of that devil in the form of man, the Ger-

devil in the form of man, the German Kaiser, and to the immediate destruction of all belonging to him."
The words were spoken by Capt. A.
V. Seferovitch, the first Montenegrin
consul to the United States, on the occasion of the opening yesterday of his
country's consulate.
Three years ago Captain Sefenovitch
married Miss Bertha Hayes, daughter
of O. H. Hayes, an American manufacturer.

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An impressive reading in the Slav tongue of the orthodox ritual of blessing by the Rev. Sergius Enegireff, of St. Nicholas' Russian Cathedral, marked the opening of the consulate. Among those present were Jovo Matanovitch. Louis Netement. Colonel Popevitch of the Serbian army, who was wounded by a bomb and came here to recuperate; John Frothingham, president of the American Montenegrin relief committee: Loris Mekilkoff, secretary of to the Russian embassy; Mr. de Routsky, the Russian consul; Pavia Paviovitch, the Serbian vice consul; Dr. T. Tileston Wells, legal adviser to Montenegro, and other Balkan states.

Cotton Boll Weevil Is Spreading Through South

Spread of the cotton boll weevil in six States of the South is reported by the

States of the South is reported by the Legartment of Agriculture today, and rianters in the infested sections have been urged to fight the pest.

The unusual storms of August in Texas brought about the rapid multiplication and spread of the weevil. Half of the State of Oklahoma is now infested, department specialists declare. Planters in that State and Texas are urged to begin immediately to pick their cotton and destroy the plants and to airange for rotation of crops next. The same action is urged on to arrange for rotation of crops next year. The same action is urged on planters of Mississippi, and parts of Tennessee infested. All but four or five counties in Alabama and more than thirty counties in western Georgia are infested, the department says, and planters in those States are advised to destroy the stalks.

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Scottish Rite Will Continue Initiation

to Be Conferred by Evangelist Chapter.

Initiation of members of the "dedica-tion class" of 100, begun yesterday by the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Freemasonry councils of Washington and Alexandria, will continue this afternoon and evening at the Scottish Rite Cathedral.

The degree of "Knight Rose Croix" will be conferred at 5:15 o'clock this

Nearly Half-Million Bales Con-

The census report made public today blows cotton, exclusive of linters, consumed during September, 498-219 running sumed during September, 498,219 running ales in 1915, compared with 414,864 bales bales in 1915, compared with 414,854 bales in 1914; held in consuming establishments on September 30, 1,089,614 bales in 1915, and 656,892 in 1914, and in public storage and at compresses 2,795,500 bales in 1915, and 1,663,625 in 1914. Imports, 25,197 equivalent 500-pound bales in 1915, and 15,315 in 1914; exports, including linters, 502,031 runfiles bales in 1915, and 125,778 in 1914. Cotton spindles active during September 31,295,104 in 1915, and 30,397,154 in 1914.

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Linters consumed during September 61,431 bales in 1915, and 27,764 in 1914; held 91,41 Daies in 1915, and 27,764 in 1914; held in consuming establishments, 128,659 bales in 1915, and 63,386 in 1914; and in public storage and at compresses, 57,106 bales in 1915, and 26,078 in 1914. Export-ed, 10,624 bales in 1915, and 1,808 in 1914.

GIRL EXONERATED FOR KILLING FATHER

'Justifiable Homicide," Verdict of Coroner's Jury For Child of Thirteen.

CROTON-ON-HUDSON, Oct. 14 .-"Jusufiable homicide" was the verdict of Coroner Foshay after he had heard evidence as to the shooting to death of Edward Tice by his daughter, Eva. thirteen years old, Saturday night.

The young girl, her mother, an older brother and several neighbors were the witnesses examined by Coroner Foshay Their testimony tended to show that the father came home on Saturday night, and after accusing his wife of taking money from him quarreled with her. In his fury he seized her by the throat. Her outch was heard by the daughter, who rushed from the room to see her father cheking his wife. She seized a revolver, which she said she did not believe to be loaded, and called upon her father to release his hold.

When he refused she pulled the trigger, sending a bullet into his brain.

BY COLORED WOMAN

Patrolman's Shoulder Bitten and Coat Torn in Trying to Make Arrest.

Policeman W. C. Lewis of the Sixth precinct possesses a badly torn uni-form cost, and a prisoner today. The prisoner, Martha Thomas, a negress, of 10 M street northwest, possesses a scalp wound and three-charges on the blotter of the Sixth precinct.

The first charge is for disorderly conduct: the second accuses her of assault; the third is of carrying a oncealed weapon.
According to the policeman, Martha

was the cause of the torn coat; the coat was the cause of the scalp wound, and both together resulted in the three charges, which makes the case a sort of "house-that-Jack-built"

Policeman Lewis attempted to place Martha under arrest early today, near Fourth and K streets northwest, because he says he considered her dis-orderly. Martha thought otherwise, and the officer says demonstrated her difference of opinion by taking a bite at his shoulder and tearing his coat. So flercely did the woman attack him, ecording to his account, that arly Half-Million Bales Consumed in September and
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Committee in Charge Promises Series of Interesting Events At Reservoir.

The program for the testimonial to the Government bands to be given Sat-urday afternoon at the Brightwood reservoir, is in the hands of the printer today, and provides for a series of interesting events that will keep the erowd of spectators amused from 1:30 until 4:30.

The members of the committee in

The members of the committee in charge of the finances have made a final appeal for funds. The appeals that have been made for prizes have met with a hearty response, cups and other trophles having been donated by William M. Gait & Co., M. Frank Ruppert, R. P. Andrews Company, and John O. Evans.

The money needed, however, has not come in as rapidly, as the committee would like, and it is announced that opportunity will be given patrons of the show to make contributions on the day of the testimonial.

Baltimore Conference of **Epworth League Meets**

The first annual session of the Baltimore conference of the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church South will convene for a three days' meeting tomorrow at Mt. Vernon Place M. E. Church.

Russians Sink 19 Ships.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 14.—Nineteen Turkish ships were sunk by two Russian torpedo boats last Thursday off the coast of Anatolia, the Russian admiralty announces. Eighteen of the ships were laden with food supplies for the Turkish army and the other carried musitions.

Place M. E. Church.

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Flannelette Kimonos, 47c

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and

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Petticoats, 97c

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75c and \$1 Children's 44c SWEATERS . Warm.



girls. Cont style with storm collars that can be buttoned high around neck, two hip pockets. French cutts and collars. Sizes 25 to 34. \$1.50 Children's 97c Splendid quality warm close-knit plain weave sweaters for boys and girls. Made coat style with high roll collar that can be buttoned high, hip pockets, etc. Red, blue and cray Every pockets, etc. Red, blue and gray. Every

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st Women's \$1.97
Sweaters 51.97
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\$5.00 and \$6.00 . Coats, \$3.77 Fancy mixtures and plain shades all wool beaver cloth. Newest winter styles. 6 to 14 sizes.

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